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Inventor(s): Kevin W. Rudd et al.

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Application No.: 10/769,203

Examiner: Unassigned

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(X) A copy of the monthly statement, in which the error referred to occurs, accompanies this request.

II. **FEES CHARGED FOR WHICH REFUND IS REQUESTED**

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III. **EXPLANATION OF WHY CONTESTED CHARGE IS IN ERROR**

A Notice to File Missing Parts was mailed on June 17, 2004. A Response to the Notice to File Missing Parts was timely filed on July 9, 2004, with the executed Declarations and Powers of Attorney containing signatures of all four inventors in the present application. Two subsequently mailed Notices of Incomplete Reply resulted in a Two-Month Extension of Time fee being charged in error.

Please see attached Communication re: Detailed Explanation of Events Resulting in Two-Month Extension Fee Error

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**COMMUNICATION RE: DETAILED EXPLANATION OF EVENTS
RESULTING IN TWO-MONTH EXTENSION FEE ERROR**

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Dear Sir:

In a telephone conference with Ms. C.M. Haywood of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on August 11, 2004, it was determined that the Patent Office received the signature page of James M. Hull (i.e., page 6 of the executed Declarations and Powers of Attorney) when the Response to the Notice to File Missing Parts was filed July 9, 2004. However, page 6 of the executed Declarations and Powers of Attorney was not processed by the Patent Office. As a result, a Notice of Incomplete Reply was mailed on August 2, 2004.

In the Response to the Notice of Incomplete Reply mailed on August 2, 2004, Applicants noted that the previously timely submitted executed Declarations and Powers of Attorney (6 pages total) included the executed Declaration and Power of Attorney of James M. Hull and that one of the executed Declarations misspelled James M. Hull as Jim M. Hull.

On September 10, 2004, another Notice of Incomplete Reply was mailed that incorrectly stated the signature of Jim M. Hull was missing. On September 29, 2004, a Response to the Notice of Incomplete Reply was filed in addition to a Petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.182 and an Application Data Sheet to clarify that the four inventors in the present application are Kevin W. Rudd, Allan D. Nies, Dale C. Morris, and James M. Hull. All four of the above-listed inventors signed the executed Declarations and Powers of Attorney timely filed on July 9, 2004. The Petition to request correction of the name of Applicant James M. Hull and to request withdrawal of the Notice of Incomplete Reply mailed September 10, 2004 was granted by the Patent Office.

In a telephone conference with an OIPE Representative in the Patent Office on December 15, 2004, the OIPE Representative agreed the Missing Parts was fulfilled when the

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Response to the Notice to File Missing Parts was filed on July 9, 2004 and the Two-Month Extension of Time Fee was charged in error. The OIPE Representative suggested a Request for Refund be filed.

Any inquiry regarding this communication should be directed to either Patrick G. Billig at Telephone No. (612) 573-2003, Facsimile No. (612) 573-2005 or David A. Plettner at Telephone No. (408) 447-3013, Facsimile No. (408) 447-0854. In addition, all correspondence should continue to be directed to the following address:

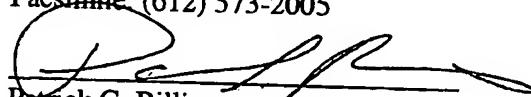
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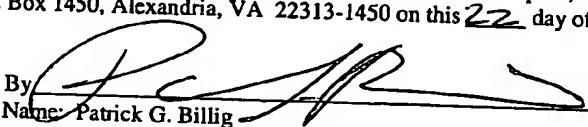
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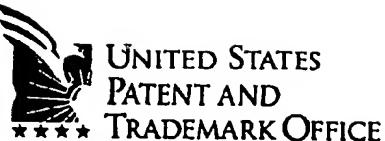
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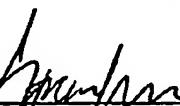
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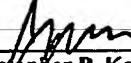
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